

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: KARKAS et al.

SERIAL NUMBER: 09/893,165

EXAMINER:

FILING DATE: 6/27/01

ART UNIT:

TITLE: DEVICES

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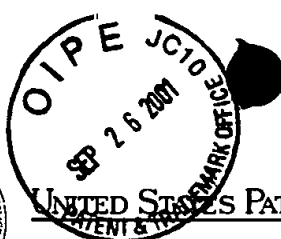
Dear Sir:

We are submitting herewith the executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney documents for the above-referenced patent application. At the time the documents were executed, we had not yet received the serial number for this application. However, in compliance with the identification requirements under 37 CFR 1.63, number (6), the Declaration documents enclosed herewith contain the names of the inventors, title which was on the specification as filed and are accompanied by this cover letter identifying the specific patent application by the serial number and filing date. This combination of information along with this cover letter should be acceptable for complying with the identification requirement of 37 CFR 1.63.

Respectfully submitted,

Geza O. Ziegler, Jr. Reg. No. 44,004  
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9/20/01  
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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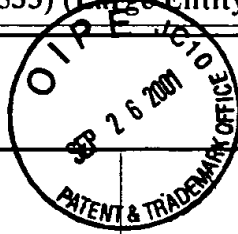
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Dated: September 20, 2001

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8/20/01  
Date

Enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

- ☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533). **(REQUIRED)**
- ☐ An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- ☐ A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- ☐ An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- ☐ A verified English translation of the non-English language application papers as originally filed. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.
- ☒ Other (list):

Declaration documents in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63, number 6 - The documents contain the names of the inventors, the title that was on the specification as filed and they are accompanied by a cover letter which accurately identifies the application for which they are intended by the serial number and filing date.

Cover Letter to identify documents by serial number and filing date.

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☒ Completion of application fees as calculated below:

☐ Utility application filing fee

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☒ Surcharge for late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath **\$130.00**

☐ Petition and fee for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the inventor

☐ Fee for processing an application filed with a non-English language specification

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the above-identified Notice to File Missing Parts of Application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired). If an additional time extension is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

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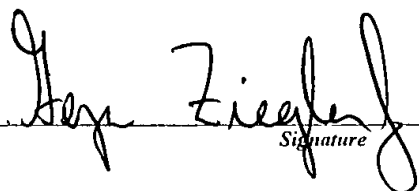
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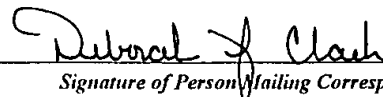
  
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